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**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

This is a response to a July 28, 2005 non-final official action, and is timely filed because it is accompanied by a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time and the appropriate fee. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the application in view of the following remarks.